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In re Application of

Manfred BERNDT

U.S. Patent Application No. 09/598,890

Filed: June 22, 2000

Group Art Unit: 1743

Examiner: GORDON, BRIAN R.

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For: SUPPLY ELEMENT FOR A LABORATORY MICROCHIP

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

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- ☐ Also attached:


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Respectfully submitted,

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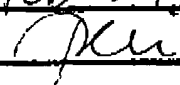

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